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A DEVICE FOR CLEANING THE)	
TEATS OF AN ANIMAL AND A)	
MILKING STALL INCLUDING THE)	
DEVICE)	

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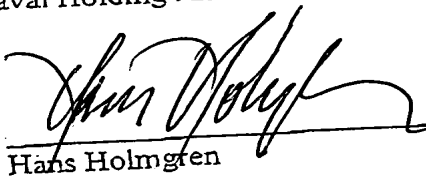
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